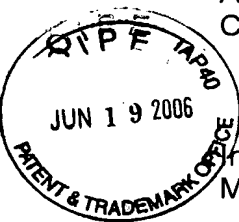


IFW

Attorney's Docket 008312-0284086
Client Reference: T4YKA-01S1385-1



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:
MITSUNORI OMOKAWA ET AL.

Confirmation Number: 4668

Application No.: 09/986,200

Group Art Unit: 2621

Filed: November 7, 2001

Examiner: CHOWDHURY, Nigar

For: IMAGE REPRODUCING APPARATUS HAVING SKIP FUNCTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

FEES

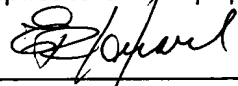
The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	7	- 20	= 0 x	\$	= \$
INDEP.	2	- 8	= 0 x	\$	= \$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+ \$		= \$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE					\$
GRAND TOTAL					\$ 0.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

Date: June 19, 2006
PILLSBURY WINTHROP SHAW PITTMAN LLP
P.O. Box 10500
McLean, VA 22102
703 770.7788



E. R. HERNANDEZ
Reg. No. 47641



Attorney Docket: 00012-0284086
Client Reference: T4YKA-01S1385-1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:
MITSUNORI OMOKAWA , ET AL.

Confirmation Number: 4668

Application No.: **09/986,200**

Group Art Unit: 2621

Filed: November 7, 2001

Examiner: CHOWDHURY, Nigar

Title: IMAGE REPRODUCING APPARATUS HAVING SKIP FUNCTION

- AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 -

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendments
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 21, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: